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SUBJECT: MAKARIOS RETURNS TO CYPRUS, PREDICTS NEW AMERICAN  
INITIATIVE, NEW CLIFFORD MISSION, AND MEETING WITH PRESIDENT  
CARTER

1. MAKARIOS RETURNED TO CYPRUS JUNE 19 FROM COMMONWEALTH  
CONFERENCE AND ATHENS MEETINGS WITH GOC LEADERS. IN AIRPORT  
ARRIVAL STATEMENT HE EXPRESSED SATISFACTION WITH RESULTS OF  
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HIS TRIP. HE REFERRED TO TALK WITH KARAMANLIS AS "CONSTRUCTIVE  
AND USEFUL" AND NOTED "GREECE'S UNDIVIDED SUPPORT FOR THE  
GREEK CYPRIOT PEOPLE'S STRUGGLE." HE PRAISED "THE FAVORABLE  
ATTITUDE" AND "SOLIDARITY" OF THE COMMONWEALTH COUNTRIES  
REGARDING THE CYPRUS PROBLEM

2. ASKED ABOUT POSSIBILITY OF FOREIGN INITIATIVES

FOLLOWING TURKISH ELECTIONS, ARCHBISHOP REPLIED:

QUOTE I AM UNDER THE IMPRESSION THAT AN INITIATIVE MAY BE TAKEN BOTH BY THE UNITED STATES AND THE EUROPEAN ECONOMIC COMMUNITY. IT CANNOT BE PRECLUDED, HOWEVER, THAT AN INITIATIVE MAY BE TAKEN BY SOCIALIST COUNTRIES AS WELL. UNQUOTE HE CONFIRMED THAT HE HAS "THE IMPRESSION MR. CLIFFORD WILL UNDERTAKE A NEW MISSION TO ATHENS, ANKARA AND NICOSIA."

3. QUESTIONED AS TO POSSIBILITY OF A MEETING WITH PRESIDENT CARTER, MAKARIOS RESPONDED; QUOTE I DO NOT RULE OUT THE POSSIBILITY OF A MEETING WITH PRESIDENT CARTER IN THE EVENT, OF COURSE, OF MY VISITING THE UNITED STATES. HOWEVER, IT HAS NOT BEEN DECIDED YET WHEN I SHALL BE IN THE UNITED STATES. BUT I DO NOT RULE OUT THAT I SHALL BE IN THE UNITED STATES DURING THE DEBATE OF THE CYPRUS PROBLEM OR RATHER DURING THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY SESSION. UNQUOTE  
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